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PREFACE

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Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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MILITARY BARRACKS AREA
(40-48N 044-30E)
KIROVAKAN, ARMYANSKAYA ASSR, USSR
TRANSCAUCASUS MD

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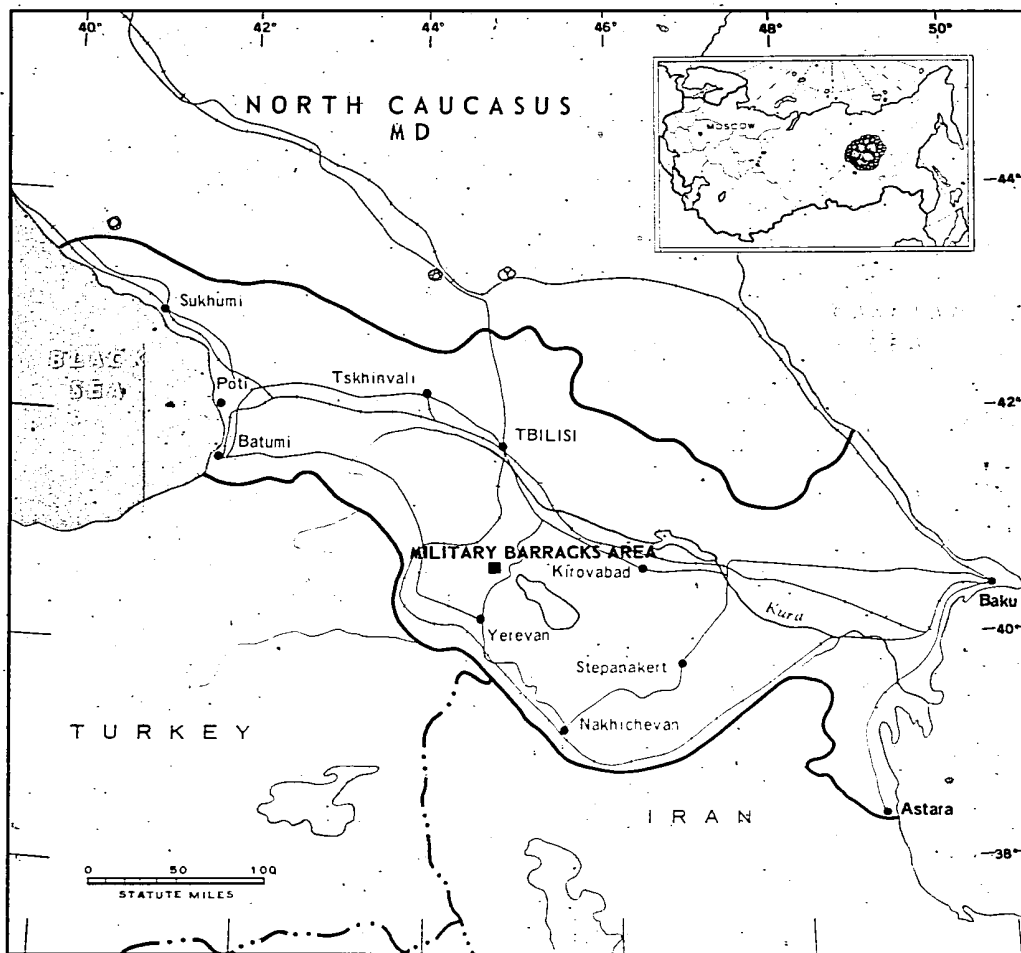


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF MILITARY BARRACKS AREA.

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FIGURE 2. MILITARY BARRACKS AREA, KIROVAKAN, USSR.

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SUMMARY

A military barracks area is located in the southeastern part of Kirovakan, approximately 2 kilometers (km) east of Kirovakan Army Barracks SW (Figure 1).

The secured installation covers approximately 50 acres and contains a housing area with 4 barracks and 23 other buildings, a motor pool with 3 vehicle storage structures, and an

athletic field with spectator stands and 2 support buildings (Figures 2 and 3).

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Comparative analysis reveals that the only major change was the construction of the 3 motor vehicle storage structures in the motor pool area.

DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

Rail service is available 2 km north.

Road Service

Good all-weather roads serve the area.

Administration and Troop Housing Area

Area D contains 3 multistory administration buildings, 4 multistory barracks, 3 administration buildings, 6 warehouses, and 10 support structures.

Equipment Storage/Maintenance Area

Area J contains 3 motor vehicle storage buildings, one 350 by 40 feet and two 250 by 40 feet.

Athletic Field

Area K contains a large athletic field with spectator stands and 2 support buildings. This area may be part of the installation or a civilian stadium.

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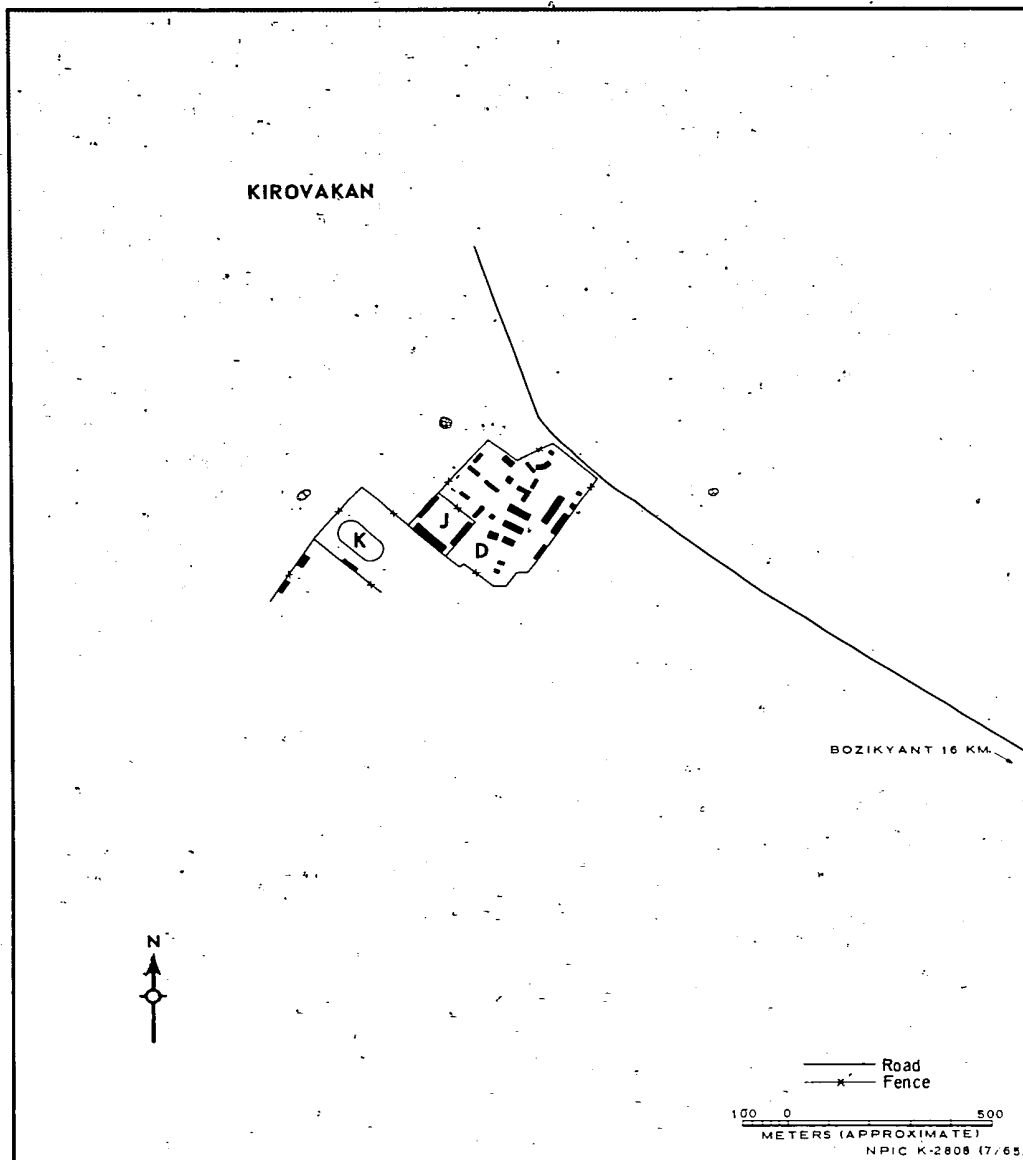


FIGURE 3. MILITARY BARRACKS AREA. Sketch compiled from [REDACTED]

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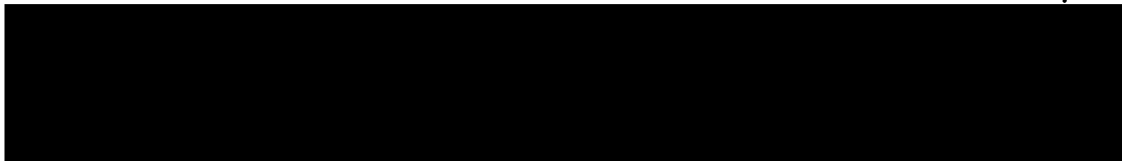
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